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| Factories under the State Secretariat for Chemicals | 828 metric tons    |
| SAC factories                                       | 184 metric tons    |
| Zentral Verwaltung und Organisationen               | 3,661 metric tons  |
| DHZ KuM - Derunapht distribution centers            | 10,547 metric tons |
| TOTAL Distributed                                   | 15,220 metric tons |

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| Austria | 300,000 metric tons |
| Hungary | 40,000 metric tons  |
| Rumania | 40,000 metric tons  |

5. The chief of the DHZ KuM Branch Office in Halle, Strich (fnu), was arrested in early November 1953. As a result of the arrest, the heads of the departments under him in the Halle Branch Office were fired for negligence (for not having detected Strich's alleged connections with the West). Replacements for the dismissed officials have reportedly been drawn from the lower clerical and administrative ranks of SED members who are not at all conversant with the DHZ distribution operations.

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Comment. Pacura is a Rumanian word meaning coal tar.

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